

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT,  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON**

LAUGHING RABBIT, INC.

Plaintiff,

v.

LASER BONDING TECH, INC.

Defendant.

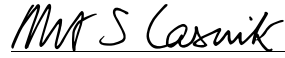
Civil Action No. 2:20-CV-1513-RSL

**ORDER ACCEPTING  
DEFENDANT'S LATE-FILED  
OPPOSITION AND RENOTING  
MOTION FOR SUMMARY  
JUDGMENT**

This matter comes before the Court on defendant's motion for an extension of time in which to oppose plaintiff's motion for summary judgment. Dkt. # 50. While there is some indication that defendant is not taking seriously its obligations as a litigant in federal court, the Court declines to adjudicate intent in the context of this motion. Because a catastrophic server disruption is a legitimate excuse for a late filing and because this Court prefers to resolve disputes on their merits, the motion for an extension of time is GRANTED. The Clerk of Court is directed to re-docket Dkt. # 51 as defendant's response to the pending motion for summary judgment and to renote the motion for summary judgment, Dkt. # 31, on the Court's calendar for

1 Friday, August 12, 2022. Plaintiff's reply is due on or before the note date.  
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4 Dated this 8th day of August, 2022.  
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